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Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of Infants, Children, &c.
Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. **NOT NARCOTIC.**
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TIME TABLE

In effect December 1st, 1896.

WEST. 71. EAST. 72.

6:00 a.m. Westport, 5:00

6:15.....Sardinia, 3:05

6:40.....Elizabeth's 2:30

8:20.....Seymour, 1:45 p.m.

9:02.....Freestown, 12:03 p.m.

9:18.....Kurtz, 11:47

10:08.....Heltonville 11:00

Arrive 10:33.....Bedford, 10:35

Leave 12:30 p.m. Bedford, At. 7:50

1:50.....Indian Sp's 6:25

2:55.....Oden, 5:30

Arrive 6:00.....Elmira, 5:00 a.m.

Chicago Grain and Stock.

WHEAT—Milled, 70¢, closed 79¢.

CORN—Dull, No. 2 mixed, 29¢.

OATS—Steady, No. 2 mixed, 18¢.

CATTLE—Heavy dry fed steers, \$4.10¢.

\$8.50; medium to good, \$3.80; common to fair steers, \$3.85; \$3.75; feeding steers, \$3.15¢; \$3.35; medium to choice heifers, \$4.25; \$4.00; common to choice cows, \$4.10¢; \$3.85; veal calves, \$3.50¢.

HOOF—Pork, medium to good, \$3.20; \$3.35; pigs and roasts, \$3.50¢; \$3.90. Market active.

SHORN—Common to choice lambs, \$2.50¢.

\$2.75; medium to choice sheep, \$3.20¢.

3:35; bucks, per head, \$1.50¢; \$4.00. Market unchanged.

Lawson Steffy, near Bicknell, Ind., a well-to-do farmer, disappeared from home, and after some time he was found at Mt. Vernon, Ills., in a pitiable condition mentally, the result of grief over the death of two children.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Prevailing Prices For Grain, Cattle and Provisions on Dec. 31.

Indianapolis.

WHEAT—Quiet, No. 3 red, 89¢.

CORN—Dull, No. 2 mixed, 29¢.

OATS—Steady, No. 2 mixed, 18¢.

CATTLE—Heavy dry fed steers, \$4.10¢.

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Cincinnati Grain and Stock.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 94¢.

CORN—Active, No. 2 mixed, 21¢.

OATS—Active, No. 2 mixed, 19¢.

CATTLE—Dull, \$2.75¢; \$4.40.

HOOF—Dull at \$2.50¢; \$2.35.

SHORN—Strong at \$2.00¢; \$3.50; lambs, slow at \$3.00¢; \$4.50.

Toledo Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 cash, 91¢.

CORN—Active, No. 2 mixed, 21¢.

OATS—Steady, No. 2 mixed, 18¢.

CATTLE—Dull at \$2.75¢; \$4.40.

HOOF—Steady at \$2.50¢; \$2.35.

SHORN—Strong at \$2.00¢; \$3.50; lambs, slow at \$3.00¢; \$4.50.

Louisville Live Stock.

WHEAT—Unchanged at \$3.80¢; \$4.25.

HOOF—Steady at \$3.80¢; \$4.25.

SHORN—Unchanged at \$3.80¢; \$4.25; lambs, steady at \$3.80¢; \$4.25.

SEE CUBAN RECOGNITION

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Foreign Relations Committee Report on the Cameron Resolution.

HILL FOR BELLIGERENT RIGHTS.

Senator Sherman Reports Favorably on the Resolution Relative to Americans In Spanish Prisons—Several Resolutions on the Powers of Congress and the Executive Introduced.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The senate was literally deluged for half an hour yesterday with reports, resolutions and spirited colloquies on the Cuban question. The intense public interest in this subject was shown by the presence of the largest crowds seen since the opening day of the session. All available space in the public galleries was taken and the diplomatic gallery had such distinguished occupants as Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, Baron Von Hengelmann, the Austrian minister, Mr. Hatch, the Hawaiian minister, accompanied by the suites and ladies of the embassies and legations. The main event of the day was the presentation by Mr. Cameron of the report of the committee on foreign relations favorable to his resolution recognizing the independence of Cuba. This proceeding was brief and perfunctory, the report not being read, and an agreement speedily reached by which the resolution and report went over until after the holidays.

Aside from the Cameron report Mr. Morgan of Alabama, presented a further report on the same lines, embodying the views of himself and Mr. Mills. The offering of the reports served as a prelude to several brisk exchanges between senators.

Mr. Hill of New York desired to know whether the reports went into the constitutional question of the legislative power of recognition of independence.

Mr. Cameron answered that everybody conceded this power, and Mr. Morgan pointedly added that a denial of such power was "preposterous."

Mr. Vest also came forward with some remarks which promised to give a sharp personal turn to the debate. He spoke of his astonishment in seeing Secretary Olney's public statement declaring that the executive alone had the power to recognize independence.

Mr. Vest had hardly begun when Mr. Hale (Rep., Me.) made a point of order against him on the ground that debate was out of order. The Missouri senator willingly yielded, announcing that he would speak today on the resolution he had offered declaring that recognition of independence is a joint power of the legislative and executive branches.

Mr. Hill and Mr. Chilton offered Cuban resolutions declaring that a state of war existed in Cuba, warranting the recognition of the belligerent rights of both parties and calling for the observance of strict neutrality by the United States. Mr. Bacon offered one declaring that the power of recognizing independence is a prerogative belonging exclusively to the congress.

Mr. Sherman from the committee on foreign relations reported favorably the resolutions of Mr. Call asking for information relative to American citizens confined in Spanish prisons and which was agreed to by the senate. Aside from the Cuban subject the session was not uneventful. Mr. Gear (Rep., La.) made an unsuccessful effort to take up the Pacific railroad refunding bill and then gave notice it would be urged after the holidays. The senate then went into executive session and shortly after adjourned.

HOUSE

It Takes Up the Senate Immigration Bill and Sends It to Conference.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The house yesterday practically completed the consideration of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bills, but final action was deferred. Almost the whole day was devoted to a debate on the provision in bill relating to the control of the new congressional library. Both the appropriations and library committees offered plans for the future care of the building. After a somewhat acrimonious contest the appropriations committee gained the victory, defeating the substitute of the library committee by a vote of 27 to 85.

ARE IMPOSTORS.

Persons Enlisting Men and Claiming Authority From the Junta.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Mr. Quesada, the Cuban representative here, said last night that the junta is not responsible for the enlistments for the Cuban cause that are now said to be going on throughout the United States. "It is not our desire to break the laws of this country, and the enlistments are a clear violation of them. We do not want any more men in Cuba now. Beside the 25,000 or 30,000 we have in the field, we have 60,000 we cannot arm. Any one who claims to be enlisting men under our authority is an impostor. We don't want men; we want arms. I hope this will put an end to these rumors."

NATIONAL BANKS ASKED TO REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The controller of the currency has made a call on national banks for a report on their condition at the close of business on Dec. 17.

SENATOR ALLISON.

McKinley Offers Him the Secretary of Stateship.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Dec. 22.—Senator Allison has been offered the leading position in the cabinet of Major McKinley, that of secretary of state. It is said the proffer was made by Major McKinley through one of the most prominent men in the state of Iowa, and that Senator Allison now has the matter under consideration.

MURDERER DURRANT.

California Supreme Court Grants Him a Resumption of His Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—What may prove to be the beginning of the end of the Durrant case took place in chambers in the supreme court yesterday. The brief of Theodore Durrant was filed, although there has been much discussion as to whether it could be now filed, the usual time for doing so having elapsed. However, Durrant was finally granted a resumption. Attorney General Fitzgerald also filed a brief replying to defendant's counsel. Durrant is now given 10 days in which to file a brief replying, after which the case of the alleged murderer of Blanche Lamont will be finally decided.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND STOCK.

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Louisville Live Stock.

Great Reduction

We must close out our
Ladies' and Children's Cloaks Cheap
In order to make room for our large stock of Toys
for Christmas. Note prices below:

1 lot all wool jackets.....	.50c.
1 lot all wool jackett.....	\$1.25.
1 lot all wool cloaks.....	\$2.50.
1 lot cloaks worth \$5.50 for.....	\$4.00.
1 lot cloaks worth \$10.00 for.....	\$6.00.
1 lot cloaks worth \$6.50 for.....	\$4.75.
1 lot capes worth \$4.00 for.....	\$2.75.
1 lot capes worth \$7.50 for.....	\$5.75.
1 lot capes worth \$9.00 for.....	\$7.00.
1 lot capes worth \$13.00 for.....	\$9.00.

Come early and secure these bargains.

Sold only for SPOT CASH.

CHAS. R. HOFFMANN.
22 S. CHESTNUT ST.

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Desirable Property for Sale or Rent.
Call on us for bargains. Business promptly
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TIE THIS ON!

From Your Sincere Friend,
Wishing You a Merry Christmas.

A card like the above, attached to one of the many beautiful Christmas presents now being displayed at Cox's Pharmacy, would make the eyes of the happy recipient sparkle with delight. Pause before the pharmacy window and take a look at them.

AN EARLY SELECTION IS BEST.

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READY FOR CHRISTMAS.

The largest and most complete up to date stock
of everything in the
Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silverware and
Optical Line.

Don't buy a thing in the Jewelry Line till you
have looked through our immense stock.

**No Trouble to Show Goods.
Engraving Free.**

I am laying away Holiday Presents daily. Every-
body invited to call and see goods and learn
prices. Don't forget the place.

S.V. HARDING
110 West Second Street.

STOP!

At Our Window When Passing.

HOLIDAY GOODS

IN LARGE VARIETY AT

J. G. LAUPUS,

JEWELRY STORE.

Diamonds, Gold Watches, Solid Sil-
ver Novelties, Jewelry.

Give us a call. Our prices low. Will be pleased to show our goods.

Remember, opposite the postoffice.

A GRAND DISPLAY

OF.....

Christmas Goods !

Albums, Books, Booklets, Bibles, Family and Teach-
ers, Building Blocks, A B C Blocks, Dolls in endless vari-
ety from 1c to \$5.00, Doll Buggies, Boy's Wagons and
Velocipedes, Hobby Horses, Shoe Fly Rockers, Gold Pens,
Ladies Toilet Set, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes.

Toys ! Toys ! Toys !

(A MOST COMPLETE LINE.)

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INSURANCE OF ALL KINDS
REAL ESTATE AND LOANS.

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W. G. GEILE, Tailor.
Cleaning and repairing a specialty. New
work at lowest prices.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop over Tabb's store, corner Chestnut and Tipton streets.

W. A. CARVER & SON, Guns for sale or rent
All guns new and in first-
class condition.

Ammunition for sale

Game on sale in sea-
son.

Headquarters for

HUNTERS' SUPPLIES.

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The Thomas Clothing Co.,

XMAS GIFTS.

That are Commendable and Reflect the Good
Taste of the Giver.

We have a splendid assortment of just the kind of gifts that
are always welcome, because they are useful and appropriate. Dur-
ing this week we will give you some

HOLIDAY BARGAINS

In the way of all kinds of Clothing It will pay you to bear this in
mind and note the following:

**Men's heavy overcoats very service-
able, - \$1.25 to \$4.50**

**Men's Beaver and Kersey overcoats, the
best and finest in the market, \$7.50 to \$12**

Boy's overcoats, age 14 to 19, \$1.25 to \$2.50

Children's overcoats, age 4 to 12, 75c to \$2.75

Boy's all wool knee pants, - 20c a pair

Children's knee pant suits, - 75c to \$2.75

These are only a few of the many Bargains we have to offer you
in this line. We also have a large Display of

Silk Umbrellas,

Canes,

Plain and Initial Silk Handkerchiefs,

Silk and Satin Suspenders,

Gentlemen's Embroidered Night Robes.

A Beautiful line of Neckwear,

Gentlemen's Dress Gloves,

Men's and Boy's Dress Shirts.

Hats in the Latest Blocks,

Men and Boy's Mackintoshes,

And many other useful articles you will find
in our large stock,

The Thomas Clothing Co.

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JAY C. SMITH, Editors and Publishers.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1896

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WEEKLY..... \$1.00

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Stated at the Seymour, Indiana, office as
second-class matter.

In dealing with the Cuban question
statesmanship and not jingoism is
needed.

The Cameron resolution will give
some of our talking statesmen a chance
to make the congressional record "in-
teresting reading."

BEFORE the election Allen W. Clark,
of Greensburg, was known as "king of
all the free silver push." Now he is the
president of the "Indiana Bimetallic
League." Quite a change for so short a
time.

On his return from South Carolina
President Cleveland presented a num-
ber of his friends with dead ducks.
Quite appropriate gifts to those who are
politically "dead ducks."

THE president has returned to Wash-
ington after a sojourn of ten days in the
Carolina swamps in quest of ducks. He
was needed at home but that made no
difference. This annual duck hunt
must be attended to. The Cuban ques-
tion is a small matter in comparison.

It is reported on what may seem
fairly good authority that Senator Alli-
son has tendered the secretary of
state portfolio by Major McKinley.
There is no question about his fitness
for this very responsible place.

THE report of the controller of the
currency shows that 50 per cent of the
people of Massachusetts are depositors
in savings banks. If the populists
would stop to think a moment they
would see in this one fact an explana-
tion of the main part of the Est's enor-
mous growth of wealth.

THE state board of health will ask the
legislature to revise the laws relating to
health officers. The board thinks that
the sanitary condition of the state can
be made much better if the laws are
made more rigid, and doubtless this is
true. As our population increases more
stringent laws are necessary to avoid
epidemics.

THE friends of Hon. Addison C. Har-
ris, of Indianapolis, are urging him for
a cabinet position. Indiana should
have a representative in Major McKin-
ley's official household and no better
man could be chosen in the state than
Mr. Harris. He is a man of high ideals
and a superior lawyer. He would
make an admirable attorney general.

JOSEPH Burkart to-day celebrated the
fiftieth anniversary of his birth.
Dr. Miles' Pain Pill cures Neuralgia.

RETURNING PROSPERITY.

There is no question of the returning
of prosperity in the gas belt of Indiana,
if one may judge from the statements
of the papers from that part of the state.
The Gas City Journal located in the very
heart of the gas belt states as follows:

That prosperity is returning to this
country as a result of the settlement of
the currency question, one only has to
take look over the gas belt, which by
the way, is always in the front row
when the good things are passed around.
It would do some of our democratic
friends who are hooting down and de-
riding the statement that prosperity in
returning, a good deal of good—open
their eyes to the simple reality—to
make a tour of the gas belt, which is
now, since the going into blast of all
the glass factories a veritable bee-hive of
industry.

The Washington Gazette also indicates
a return of prosperity among the
railroad men of that city. It says:

The B. & O. S. W. employees were paid
for a full month's work Wednesday
and most of them received a larger
amount than at any pay day for more
than two years. Naturally, therefore,
they are feeling that McKinley's election
was not the calamity predicted by the
silverites. If it is a calamity to get
more work the railroad employees want
more calamity and would vote for sound
money again.

Young People's Meeting.

Representatives of the young people's
societies of the various churches of the
city met at the Presbyterian church last
night. Rev. J. W. Clevenger was made
chairman and Chas. Henderson secre-
tary. They discussed the advisability
of a mass meeting and the formation of
a union of the different societies.
Some time the coming week Mr. Thompson,
of New York City, will de-
liver an illustrated lecture under their
auspices, due notice of which will be
given in the daily papers. A committee
on nomination of officers for the union
was appointed as follows: Miss Ella
Rankin, Miss Inez Newby, Prof. H. C.
Montgomery and J. C. Lanham, and to
report on the night of the lecture.

CHURCH NOTES.

Presiding Elder A. Campbell hav-
ing finished holding quarterly meetings
at Edinburg and St. Louis Crossing
came here and returned last evening to
Moore Hill. He reports the condition
of the churches all right.

DIED

Mrs. William Lufkin, of Rockford,
died at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning De-
cember 22, 1896, after a continued ill-
ness of nine months aged some forty
years. She was an exemplary woman
woman and held in high esteem by all.
A husband and five children survive,
among whom is Mrs. George Schwab, of
Seymour, the other members of the
family are at home. The funeral will
take place from the school house there
at 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

"The worst cold I ever had in my life
was cured by Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy," writes W. H. Norton, of Sut-
ter Creek, Cal. "This cold left me with
a cough and I was expecting all the
time. The remedy cured me, and I
want all my friends when troubled with
a cough or cold to use it, for it will do
me good." Sold by C. W. Milhouse.

SPARKSVILLE.

Fred Green went to Medora Monday.
Charles Hinderider went to Medora
Saturday.

Ed. McDonald, of Seymour, shipped
staves from here last week.

The B. & O. S. W. is putting in some
new culverts near the stone wall.

Clark Dixon, of Ft. Ritner, was in
our village Saturday on business.

C. T. Shortridge and brother Ollie, of
Medora, visited relatives here last week.

Lincoln Tryon is having his property
north of Lee re-plastered and painted.

Aunt Nancy Sparks visited friends
and relatives near Weddleville last
week.

Our grist mill, under the supervision
of John Reynolds, is doing a big busi-
ness.

Our post master and druggist, S. D.
Hill, has added a full line of groceries
to his stock.

We learn that our friend, John Starr,
killed a hog that weighed 753 pounds.
Who can beat this?

"Locking out the teacher" is still a
practice in this vicinity. No serious
results are reported as yet.

Miss Cora Martin, of Weddleville,
who has been staying in the family of
James Starr, returned home Friday.

School, which has been closed for
two weeks on account of diphtheria,
began again Monday with an increased
attendance.

Miss Maud Bennett, who is staying
with her sister, Mrs. Lyle Zollman, of
Greasy Creek, spent last week at home
keeping house for her brother Tom.

Before we close we desire to wish the
readers of the REPUBLICAN "A Merry
Xmas" and may it bring none but
pleasant recollections of the past, and
bright prospects for the future.

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Don't Wait!
Until the Best Things are Gone.

OUR STOCK OF

Fine China and Glass,

Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, Banquet, Vase and Hanging Lamps, is now complete and ready for inspection.

No. 106
W. Second St. **BECKMAN & CO.**

DAILY REPUBLICAN

Overgarters for 20 cents at W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

Complete line of fine Christmas fruits, nuts and candy cheap at Gates'. 17 d3t

That beautiful silver plated tea set for \$7 at Harding's is a daisy.

See the line of leggings and overgarters at W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

All Christmas orders filled on short notice at Gates'. d17 d3t

Be careful in buying Christmas candies and get them pure E. C. Becht's is the place to get them.

For Rent—Six room house in good condition for residence. Inquire at store. d19 3t A. J. PELLENS.

See the line of Christmas slippers at W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

Boy's tan leather, and corduroy leggings, all sizes at W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

Special bargains in fine silver plated knives and forks at Harding's price reduced to \$4 per dozen from now until Jan. 1st.

E. C. Becht can guarantee his candies strictly pure and fresh as he manufactures them himself and knows what they are composed of.

The best place on earth to buy holiday goods this year is at Harding's. All goods engraved free of charge.

For Rent. Five room house. Call at F. O. Cor's. d15w1

For Sale. Cottage in good repair, cov. Chestnut and Oak. W. E. HOADLEY. d22 dft

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails. 25c. **CASTORIA**

The fair signature of *Castorina* is on every wrapper.

Save money and buy your overcoats at **MOSE THE BOSS'**. 2t

Cigars, 25 in a box for Christmas presents at Gates'. Also a fine line of pipes and all kinds of smokers articles. d3t

We have a complete line of fine domestic and imported cigars at the lowest prices. GATES. d17 d3t

Dora Ogden, manager of the Western Union office at Columbus, invented an improved zinc for use in telegraph battery cells.

Lost.—Pocketbook containing money and valuable papers. Finder please return to the REPUBLICAN office and be liberally rewarded.

W. F. Bush & Co. have some of the prettiest shoes ever shown and prices are right. dwtf

Dolls and Doll Cabs cheap at C. R. Hoffman's. 22d3t1

CUT THIS OUT!

And take it with you when looking for Holiday Goods. It will make your shopping easier.

Large and complete line of useful things that gentlemen and boys appreciate.

Men's Fine Overcoats and Ulsters, Blue, Black and Oxford are the correct colors. All sizes, 34 to 48.

\$4.95 to \$15.00

See our Fine Kersey Overcoats, Silk Lined at \$9.98

Boy's Overcoats and Ulsters, age 4 to 15. Handsome Styles \$1.00 to \$5.00

New Line Boy's Short Pants Suits. Just received.

SPECIAL Boy's Double Breasted Black Cheviot Suits, age 4 to 14 98c

All Wool Brown Mixed Cheviot Suits. Large or small Collars \$1.49

Boy's Fine Plush and Corduroy Turban, Golf or Wind-sor Caps 50c

Men's Fine Stiff Hats make an Elegant Christmas Present. We have some Beauties \$1.00 to \$3.00

SPECIAL.

From now until January 1st, we will make a Special Discount on all our men's and boy's suits. If you intend buying, go with the crowds to the popular outfitting house

THE HUB.

PERSONALS.
Miss Anna Nichols, of New Albany, is here visiting friends.

Miss Fannie Appgar is home from a pleasant visit to Ohio friends.

P. Kindred, of Bedford, and J. D. Seiner and wife, of Lafayette, are in the city.

Theodore Hauffe, of Indianapolis, was the guest of his brother-in-law, George Binder.

Miss Julia Waters, of Olney, Ill., came here last evening to spend Christmas with friends.

Mrs. S. D. Carpenter, of Clark county, came here last evening to visit friends during the holidays.

John Boyer and wife, of Columbus, after an enjoyable visit to friends returned home last night.

C. J. Leidolf went to-day to Brownsburg to receive fifteen head of fine fat cattle of Thomas Fountain.

Miss Etta Brooks is visiting Mrs. Eugene Ireland, at Seymour, Ind.—New Albany Tribune.

C. J. Cornwall and wife, of Corning, Ind., J. F. Jones, D. F. Stout and W. J. Reedy, of Indianapolis, are in the city.

Mrs. J. S. Warman and Miss Josie Warman, of Aurora, came here this forenoon to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Sara Balow, after an enjoyable visit to her cousin, Miss Ida Price, left last night for her home at Columbus, O.

J. W. Smith, of Fish Hill Landing, N. Y., is here to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Sara Smith, and family.

Mrs. S. H. Lawler and Miss Etta Lawler came here last evening from Indianapolis to take Christmas with relatives.

Mrs. Mahala Patrick, who resides with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Sottong, went last night to Queensville to visit relatives.

Rev. George Henninger, of the M. E. church at Crothersville, and wife came here and went last evening to spend Christmas with their parents.

Rev. E. C. Wearing and wife, of Wolcott, came here and went last night to Brownstown to spend the holidays with her parents, J. H. Matlock and wife.

Miss Goldie Wilson, who is attending school at Newport, Ky., went last night to her home at Medora to spend vacation with her father, Dr. M. V. Wilson, and family.

Harvey Dixon, Ft. Ritner, came here and went last night to Cincinnati to look after the affairs of his brother, Omer, who was killed up there in a wreck some time ago.

Dolls and Doll Cabs cheap at C. R. Hoffman's. 22d3t1

FOUND DEAD.

Otto Dixon Takes an Overdose of Chloral.

Late Saturday evening Otto Dixon, an old bachelor, whose home was at Medora, was found lying dead in the road near where he lived. He was discovered by some parties driving into town who took charge of his body and sent for the coroner. An examination revealed the fact that he had taken an overdose of chloral which resulted in his death. It is not believed that he had taken the drug with suicidal intent.

Dixon was about forty-six years of age and owned considerable real estate.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Ed. McDonald went to-day to Loogootee on business.

W. E. Hoodley went to-day to the county seat on business.

An important real estate trade may take place in the city soon.

J. M. Lewis, of near Uniontown, came up last evening on business.

Mrs. J. E. Hudson, of Hayden, spent yesterday in the city shopping.

Thomas S. Newby made a business trip this morning to Columbus.

Hon. George Mattison, of Carthage, Mo., came here to-day on business.

Turkeys in large numbers are being brought to the city for Christmas trade.

Clark B. Reynolds and Wade Baughman, of Brownstown, are in the city on business.

Mrs. Henry Kattman, of Crothersville, came here this morning to see friends.

Mrs. Samuel Dodd, of Hayden, drove down to the city Monday afternoon on business and to shop.

Hon. O. H. Montgomery went this morning to Cincinnati on business. His wife accompanied him.

A. H. Mayes and wife, of near Milton Ky., came here last evening to spend the holidays with friends.

Many people drove here yesterday from Freetown on business and to lay in a big lot of holiday goods.

William Armbuster, a prominent business man of Clark, was a business visitor in the city last night.

Miss Lula Downs stopped here on her way to Scottsburg to spend Sunday with Miss Daisy Alves.

Preston Rider, G. W. Rider and L. W. Barton, came here this morning from Crothersville on business.

Fred Lanham has gone to Columbus on special business. He goes next to Greensburg. Fred is a hustler.

John Shoemaker and family went to day to Loogootee to get out a large amount of staves for Ed. McDonald.

B. C. Lett and William Spray, of Surprise, drove over to the city yesterday on business and to purchase goods.

J. H. Matlock his wife, Mrs. Frank Falk, Mrs. John B. Burrell and several others, of Brownstown, came up to the city last evening to shop and visit friends.

Choice dressed turkeys, Hancock's.

Cranberries, celery, popcorn, Teckemeyer's.

All kind of Toys cheap at C. R. Hoffman's. d3w1

Save money and buy your overcoats at **MOSE THE BOSS'.** 2t

AFFLICTED.

Mrs. George S. Clark is better.

Mrs. Harry Cribb, of Brownstown, is better.

Mrs. Kuehlman, of White Creek, is very sick.

John Heckman, near Cortland, is quite sick.

Mrs. Frank Farr, of Langdon, is worse to day.

The venerable Samuel Yeatman rested quite well last night.

Mrs. W. F. Christopher is able to sit up most of the time now.

Mrs. Buenna Trulock has almost recovered from her late sickness.

George Loerz continues to improve slowly and his full recovery is hopeful.

J. B. Wagstaff, of Columbia, Tenn., son-in-law of Clerk B. E. Long, of Brownstown, is better to day.

Lizzie, seven months old daughter of Frank Doane, who has been very sick with lung fever, is much better.

The Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only.

Toy Printing Presses, Iron Stoves, Wagons, Cannons at C. R. Hoffman's. dwf

UMBRELLAS, just received. Some Swell Styles. A present that pleases anyone 74c to \$3.00

Mackintosh Coats and very useful. All styles \$1.50 to \$8.00

Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs 5c to \$1.00

Boys' Fine Plush and Corduroy Turban, Golf or Wind-sor Caps 50c

Men's Fine Stiff Hats make an Elegant Christmas Present. We have some Beauties \$1.00 to \$3.00

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

J. E. Herman, of the Clover Leaf line, was in the city to day on business.

Trainmaster N. C. Bennette, of the J. M. & L. came up to the city this morning on business.

Roadmaster Thomas Welch, of the B. & O. S. W. came up to the city this morning on railroad business.

Dispatcher Charles E. Brown, of the B. & O. S. W. came up to the city this morning from Washington.

Engine 91 pulling No. 8 east ran hot here and had to be taken off and run into the round house and 207 pulled the train to Cincinnati.

Special bargains in comb and brush sets, collar and cuff boxes, shaving sets, manicure boxes, picture frames, toys and dolls at SNYDER'S ECONOMY STORE.

If you want to see Santa Claus come to the Presbyterian church Thursday evening. He will be there with his fairies, brownies and Esquimaux. Admission 10 cents to those not members of the Sunday school.

Advertisers' demands are so numerous to day that it was only with great difficulty that place was found for them all. Readers will please bear in mind that whether favorably located or not, every advertisement in to-day's REPUBLICAN is worth careful examination, because it is liable to offer something tempting and seasonable at those low prices which are always dear to the hearts of shoppers, or those dainty things which are especially attractive at this time of holiday buying.

Toy Printing Presses, Iron Stoves, Wagons, Cannons at C. R. Hoffman's. dwf

NEURALGIA cured by Dr. Miles' PAIN PILLS. "One cent a dose." At all druggists.

We are offering special bargains in books, bibles, albums, Christmas cards, souvenirs, fancy bottles, games buildings and A B C blocks.

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SNYDER'S ECONOMY STORE.

CASTORIA

The fair signature of *Castorina* is on every wrapper.

A Rice Dress

Pattern in

Silk or Wool.

Silk Waists,

Table Linen,

Towels,

Napkins,

Flannel Skirts,

Facinators,

Silk Hosiery,

Underwear,

Blankets,

Comforts,

Lace Bed Sets,

Bed Spreads.

Lace Curtains,

Rugs,

Fur Rugs,

Carpets,

Capes, Clo

PEASANT VALLEY



Jane Schild is sick with a sore throat.

George Lucas is confined to his room with fever.

John Pfeifer made a business trip to Seymour last week.

A little girl was born to Jesse Dowden and wife last week.

Miss Burnie Robertson was the guest of Myrtle Garris over Sunday.

Miss Hettie Pfeifer was the guest of Miss Lillie Goss last Sunday.

John and William Bulman are selling go fine corn and hauling it to Free town.

The revival at Pleasant Grove is still going on gloriously and will close this Tuesday.

Several from Valonia were seen driving on our streets Sunday going to Pleasant Grove to attend the great revival.

Miss Dillie Weddell and Homer Goens were visiting Charles Anderson's family Saturday and Sunday.

How to Prevent Pneumonia.

At this time of the year a cold is very easily contracted, and if left to run its course without the aid of some reliable cough medicine is liable to result in that dread disease, pneumonia. We know of no better remedy to cure a cold or cold than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it quite extensively and it has always given entire satisfaction.—Olagah, Ind. Ter. Chief.

This is the only remedy that is known to be a certain preventive of pneumonia. Among the many thousands who have used it for colds and grippe, we have never yet learned of a single case having resulted in pneumonia. Persons who have weak lungs or have reason to fear an attack of pneumonia, should keep the remedy at hand. The 25 and 50 cent sizes are for sale by C. W. Milhouse, druggist.

VALONIA.

School opened up here again last Monday.

One of Henry Ulmer's children is sick with diphtheria.

Several from here attended church at Pleasant Grove Sunday.

Born to Harvey Gregory and wife December 20, 1896, a daughter.

Bruce Reynolds, of Goss Mill, was in our town Saturday on business.

George Lauery, of Medora, was a business caller in our town Saturday.

The teachers of Driftwood township held their regular institute here Saturday.

Curtis Nixon, of Elwood, was the guest of his friends here the latter part of last week.

One of George Snyder's children is confined to its room with diphtheria but is better.

Dan Peck and wife, of Melora, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Curt Shortridge Thursday.

Henry Geyer and wife and Peter Geyer and wife were the guests of George Turmail and wife Sunday.

Prof. L. A. Ackerman, and wife, who have been visiting friends and relatives at Clearspring, returned home Sunday.

Henry Aldridge, who is teaching school in Hancock county was called to the bedside of his sick mother, Mrs. Manda Goss Tuesday.

Dr. Fred Sarver, of Bloucher, after being pleasantly entertained by his friend, Miss Addie Hunsucker, returned to his home Saturday.

William and Frank Durham who has been working at Danvers, Ill., for the past two years, has returned home to spend Christmas with their parents.

WASKOM.

Merry Christmas to all.

The revival meeting at Russell's Chapel has closed with fifty additions.

Many little hearts will be filled with joy from the visit of Old Santa Claus.

Miss Florence Empson was a guest in the family of Daniel Empson, Sunday.

William Empson and wife, were the guests of the family of O. W. Tuell, Sunday.

After hearing some friends continually praising Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, Curtis Fleck, of Anaheim, California, purchased a bottle for his own use and is now as enthusiastic over its wonderful work as anyone can be. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by C. W. Milhouse, druggist.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Swear to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Frank J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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Apply to nearest passenger or ticket agent of Pennsylvania Lines for any detailed information on the subject; or address F. VanDusen, Chief Assistant General Passenger Agent, Pittsburgh, Pa., for desired information on the subject.

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Dr. Miles' PAIN PLASTER.

GENERAL CURE for all diseases.

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SEYMORE, INDIANA, TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 22, 1896.

PRICE TWO CENTS.

900 DROPS
CASTORIA
A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomach and Bowels of
INFANTS & CHILDREN.
Promotes Digestion, Cheefulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral
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Recipe of Old Dr. SWAUKE, TICHER
Pumpkin Seeds -
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Rockelle Seeds -
Avian Seeds -
Hempseeds -
Cannabis Seeds -
Worm Seeds -
Celandine Seeds -
Hawthorn Leaves -
A perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.
Fac-Simile Signature of Dr. H. Fletcher,
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At 6 months old
35 Doses - 35 Cts.
EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

SEE
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OF EVERY
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CASTORIA

Castoria is put up in one-size bottles only. It is not sold in bulk. Don't allow anyone to sell you anything else on the plea or promise that it is "just as good" and I will answer every purpose! See that you get C-A-S-T-O-R-I-A.

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Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle free or money refunded. Book on Health and Nervousness free to all applicants.

Dr. Miles' Nervine Victorious.
Physical and Mental Exhaustion Gives Way to Vigorous Activity.

CUBAN RECOGNITION

Foreign Relations Committee Report on the Cameron Resolution.

HILL FOR BELLIGERENT RIGHTS.

Senator Sherman Reports Favorably on the Resolution Relative to Americans in Spanish Prisons—Several Resolutions on the Powers of Congress and the Executive Introduced.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The senate was literally deluged for half an hour yesterday with reports, resolutions and spirited colloquies on the Cuban question. The intense public interest in this subject was shown by the presence of the largest crowds seen since the opening day of the session. All available space in the public galleries was taken and the diplomatic gallery had such distinguished occupants as Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, Baron Von Hengelhauer, the Austrian minister, Mr. Hatch, the Hawaiian minister, accompanied by the suites and ladies of the embassies and legations. The main event of the day was the presentation by Mr. Cameron of the report of the committee on foreign relations favorable to his resolution recognizing the independence of Cuba. This proceeding was brief and perfunctory, the report not being read, and an agreement speedily reached by which the resolution and report went over until after the holidays.

Aside from the Cameron report Mr. Morgan of Alabama presented a further report on the same lines, embodying the views of himself and Mr. Mills. The offering of the reports served as a prelude to several brisk exchanges between senators.

Mr. Hill of New York desired to know whether the reports went into the constitutional question of the legislative power of recognition of independence.

Mr. Cameron answered that everybody conceded this power, and Mr. Morgan pointedly added that a denial of such power was "preposterous."

Mr. Vest also came forward with some remarks which promised to give a sharp personal turn to the debate. He spoke of his astonishment in seeing Secretary Olney's public statement declaring that the executive alone had the power to recognize independence.

Mr. Vest had hardly begun when Mr. Hale (Rep., Me.) made a point of order against him on the ground that debate was out of order. The Missouri senator willingly yielded, announcing that he would speak today on the resolution he had offered declaring that recognition of independence is a joint power of the legislative and executive branches.

Mr. Hill and Mr. Chilton offered Cuban resolutions declaring that a state of war existed in Cuba, warranting the recognition of the belligerent rights of both parties and calling for the observance of strict neutrality by the United States. Mr. Bacon offered one declaring that the power of recognizing independence is a prerogative belonging exclusively to the congress.

The city of Elkhart, Ind., was founded by Dr. Haviland Beardsley in 1881. The site was purchased of an Indian chief, and the town was originally known as Elks-heart.

The Prince of Wales of Pittsburg, Pa., will be relocated at Alexandria, Ind., where the mammoth Kelly art works are in full operation. These two companies lead the art trade.

Carter & Mason, grocers, who failed sometime ago at Oakland, have effected a settlement with their creditors at 50 cents on the dollar. The failure was for about \$30,000.

P. F. Costello, claiming to be an Indian, a notorious advertising man, is under arrest at Kokomo, Ind., charged with the theft of a valuable diamond and fine jewelry.

Tod Sloan, a well known young man of Logansport, Ind., has been notified by whitecaps to cease paying attention to a certain young lady. Seth Wheedon of Vinton, Ia., in a pitiable condition mentally, the result of grief over the death of two children.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Prevailing Prices for Grain, Cattle and Provisions on Dec. 21.

INDIANAPOLIS.

WHEAT—Quiet. No. 2 red, 80c.
CORN—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 20c.
OATS—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 15c.
CATTLE—Heavy dry fed steers, \$4.10c.
8.85c medium to good shipping steers, \$4.10c.
8.75c feeding steers, \$3.15c-\$3.35c. common to choice cows, \$1.10c-\$1.35c. veal calves, \$3.50c.
5.5c Market lower.

HOGS—Packing and good to choice, \$8.20c-\$12.40c. lightweight, \$8.20c-\$8.25c. and roughs, \$2.50c-\$2.60c. Market active.

SWINE—Common to choice lambs, \$2.30c-\$2.75c. medium to choice sheep, \$2.35c-\$2.85c. backs, per head, \$1.80c-\$2.00. Market unchanged.

Chicago Grains and Provisions.

WHEAT—May opened 75c, closed 75c.
CORN—May opened 25c, closed 25c.
OATS—Active. No. 2 mixed, 19c.
PORK—Jan. opened 47c, closed 47c.

May opened 47c, closed 47c.

RIBS—Jan. opened \$3.85, closed \$3.85.

May opened \$4.02, closed \$4.02.

CLOSING CASH MARKETS: Wheat, 75c.; corn, 22c.; oats, 16c.; pork, 50c.; lard, \$3.72; ribs, \$3.90.

Chicago Grains and Stock.

WHEAT—Steady; No. 2 red, 84c.

CORN—Active. No. 2 mixed, 21c.

OATS—Active. No. 2 mixed, 19c.

CATTLE—Dull at \$2.25c-\$2.40c.

HOGS—Steady at \$3.50c-\$3.25c.

SHRIKE—Strong at \$2.00c-\$2.30c. lambs, \$2.00c-\$2.50c.

LITTLE ROCK Live Stock.

WHEAT—Dull; No. 2 cash, 93c.

CORN—Active. No. 2 mixed, 22c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 18c.

CATTLE—Unchanged at \$3.80c-\$4.25c.

HOGS—Steady at \$3.50c-\$3.50c.

SHRIKE—Unchanged at \$2.00c-\$2.00c. lambs.

SCOTT & BOWNE, New York.

STAN DARD FOR OVER 20 YEARS.

Book about it free for the asking.

For sale by all druggists at 50c. and \$1.00.

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We must close out our
Ladies' and Children's Cloaks Cheap
In order to make room for our large stock of Toys
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1 lot all wool jackets.....	.50c.
1 lot all wool jackets.....	\$1.25.
1 lot all wool cloaks.....	\$2.50.
1 lot cloaks worth \$5.50 for.....	\$4.00.
1 lot cloaks worth \$10.00 for.....	\$6.00.
1 lot cloaks worth \$6.50 for.....	\$4.75.
1 lot capes worth \$4.00 for.....	\$2.75.
1 lot capes worth \$7.50 for.....	\$5.75.
1 lot capes worth \$9.00 for.....	\$7.00.
1 lot capes worth \$13.00 for.....	\$9.00.

Come early and secure these bargains.

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From Your Sincere Friend,
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A card like the above, attached to one of the many beautiful Christmas presents now being displayed at Cox's Pharmacy, would make the eyes of the happy recipient sparkle with delight. Pause before the pharmacy window and take a look at them.

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READY FOR CHRISTMAS.

The largest and most complete up to date stock
of everything in the
Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silverware and
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Don't buy a thing in the Jewelry Line till you
have looked through our immense stock.

**NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS.
ENGRAVING FREE.**

I am laying away Holiday Presents daily. Every-
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prices. Don't forget the place

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STOP!

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Remember, opposite the postoffice.

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Albums, Books, Booklets, Bibles, Family and Teachers', Building Blocks, A B C Blocks, Dolls in endless variety from 1c to \$5.00, Doll Buggies, Boy's Wagons and Velocipedes, Hobby Horses, Shoefly Rockers, Gold Pens, Ladies Toilet Set, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes.

Toys! Toys! Toys!

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All guns new and in first-class condition.

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That are commendable and reflect the Good Taste of the Giver.

We have a splendid assortment of just the kind of gifts that are always welcome, because they are useful and appropriate. During this week we will give you some

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In the way of all kinds of Clothing. It will pay you to bear this in mind and note the following:

Men's heavy overcoats very serviceable, \$1.25 to \$4.50

Men's Beaver and Kersey overcoats, the best and finest in the market, \$7.50 to \$12

Boy's overcoats, age 14 to 19, \$1.25 to \$2.50

Children's overcoats, age 4 to 12, 75c to \$2.75

Boy's all wool knee pants, 20c a pair

Children's knee pant suits, 75c to \$2.75

These are only a few of the many Bargains we have to offer you in this line. We also have a large Display of

Silk Umbrellas,

Canes,

Plain and Initial Silk Handkerchiefs,

Silk and Satin Suspenders,

Gentlemen's Embroidered Night Robes.

A Beautiful line of Neckwear,

Gentlemen's Dress Gloves,

Men's and Boy's Dress Shirts.

Hats in the Latest Blocks,

Men and Boy's Mackintoshes,

And many other useful articles you will find in our large stock,

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1896

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The Cameron resolution will give some of our talking statesmen a chance to make the congressional record "interesting reading."

BEFORE the election Allen W. Clark, of Greensburg, was known as "king of all the free silver push." Now he is the president of the "Indiana Bimetallic League." Quite a change for so short a time.

On his return from South Carolina President Cleveland presented a number of his friends with dead ducks. Quite appropriate gifts to those who are politically "dead ducks."

THREE months ago there was a class of people that talked for nothing but free silver. Now they are ready to take up almost any other subject in preference to their former silver hobby.

It is reported on what may seem fairly good authority that Senator Allison has been tendered the secretary of state portfolio by Major McKinley. There is no question about his fitness for this very responsible place.

THE men we send to the legislature should use the same economy and business judgment they would use if doing business for themselves. Unnecessary time should not be used in perfecting an organization. Half of the term should not be consumed in getting ready for business.

THE state board of health will ask the legislature to revise the laws relating to health officers. The board thinks that the sanitary condition of the state can be made much better if the laws are made more rigid, and doubtless this is true. As our population increases more stringent laws are necessary to avoid epidemics.

THE friends of Hon. Addison C. Harris, of Indianapolis, are urging him for a cabinet position. Indiana should have a representative in Major McKinley's official household and no better man could be chosen in the state than Mr. Harris. He is a man of high ideals and a superior lawyer. He would make an admirable attorney general.

TO THE surprise of a good many it has been discovered that the local examining pension boards have been put under the civil service. The discovery was made by Representative Overstreet a few days ago. Commissioner of Pensions Murphy says he was not aware of this extension of the civil service until the present session of congress. Life time jobs is what a great many democrats have been working for during the

RETURNING PROSPERITY.

THERE is no question of the returning of prosperity in the gas belt of Indiana, if one may judge from the statements of the papers from that part of the state. The Gas City Journal located in the very heart of the gas belt states as follows:

That prosperity is returning to this country as a result of the settlement of the currency question, one only has to take look over the gas belt, which by the way, is always in the front row when the good things are passed around. It would do some of our democratic friends who are hooting down and deriding the statement that prosperity is returning, a good deal of good—open their eyes to the simple reality—to make a tour of the gas belt, which is now, since the going into blast of all the glass factories a veritable bee-hive of industry.

The Washington Gazette also indicates a return of prosperity among the railroad men of that city. It says:

The B. & O. S. W. employees were paid for a full month's work Wednesday and most of them received a larger amount than at any pay day for more than two years. Naturally, therefore, they are feeling that McKinley's election was not the calamity predicted by the silverites. If it is calamity to get more work the railroad employee want more calamity and would vote for sound money again.

Young People's Meeting.

Representatives of the young people's societies of the various churches of the city met at the Presbyterian church last night. Rev. J. W. Clever was made chairman and Chas. Henderson secretary. They discussed the advisability of a mass meeting and the formation of a union of the different societies. Some time the coming week Mr. Thompson, of New York City, will deliver an illustrated lecture under their auspices, due notice of which will be given in the daily papers. A committee on nomination of officers for the union was appointed as follows: Miss Ella Rankin, Miss Inez Newby, Prof. H. C. Montgomery and J. C. Lanham, and to report on the night of the lecture.

CHURCH NOTES.

Presiding Elder E. A. Campbell having finished holding quarterly meetings at Edinburg and St. Louis Crossing came here and returned last evening to Moores Hill. He reports the condition of the churches all right.

DIED

Mrs. William Larkin, of Rockford, died at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning December 22, 1896, after a continued illness of nine months aged some forty years. She was an exemplary woman and held in high esteem by all. A husband and five children survive, among whom is Mrs. George Schwab, of Seymour, the other members of the family are at home. The funeral will take place from the school house there at 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

"The worst cold I ever had in my life was cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes W. H. Norton, of Sutter Creek, Cal. "This cold left me with a cough and I was expectorating all the time. The remedy cured me, and I want all my friends when troubled with a cough or cold to use it, for it will do good." Sold by C. W. Milhouse.

SPARKSVILLE.

Fred Green went to Medora Monday. Charles Hinderider went to Medora Saturday.

Ed. McDonald, of Seymour, shipped staves from here last week.

The B. & O. S. W. is putting in some new culverts near the stone wall.

Clark Dixon, of Ft. Ritner, was in our village Saturday on business.

C. T. Shortridge and brother Ollie, of Medora, visited relatives here last week.

Lincoln Tryon is having his property north of Lees re-plastered and painted.

Aunt Nancy Sparks visited friends and relatives near Wedderville last week.

Our grist mill, under the supervision of John Reynolds, is doing a big business.

We learn that our friend, John Starr, killed a hog that weighed 753 pounds. Who can beat this?

"Locking out the teacher" is still a practice in this vicinity. No serious results are reported as yet.

Miss Cora Martin, of Wedderville, who has been staying in the family of James Starr, returned home Friday.

School, which has been closed for two weeks on account of diphtheria, began again Monday with an increased attendance.

Miss Maud Bennett, who is staying with her sister, Mrs. Lyle Zollman, of Greasy Creek, spent last week at home keeping house for her brother Tom.

Before we close we desire to wish the readers of the REPUBLICAN "A Merry Xmas" and may it bring none but pleasant recollections of the past, and bright prospects for the future.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett returned Friday from the home of their daughter, Mrs. Lockwood, who has been very

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Complete line of fine Christmas fruits, nuts and candy cheap at Gates'. 17 d3t

That beautiful silver plated tea set for \$7 at Harding's is a daisy.

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Special bargains in fine silver plated knives and forks at Harding's price reduced to \$4 per dozen from now until Jan. 1st.

E. C. Becht can guarantee his candies strictly pure and fresh as he manufactures them himself and knows what they are composed of.

The best place on earth to buy holiday goods this year is at Harding's. All goods engraved free of charge.

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For Sale. Cottage in good repair, cor. Chestnut and Oak. W. E. Hoadley. d22 dtf

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Save money and buy your overcoats at

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Cigars, 25 in a box for Christmas presents at Gates'. Also a fine line of pipes and all kinds of smokers articles. d3t

We have a complete line of fine domestic and imported cigars at the lowest prices.

GATES.

d17 d3t

Dora Ogden, manager of the Western Union office at Columbus, has invented an improved zinc for use in telephone battery cells.

Lester.—Pocketbook containing money and valuable papers. Finder please return to the REPUBLICAN office and be liberally rewarded.

W. F. Bush & Co. have some of the prettiest shoes ever shown and prices are right. d&wtf

PERSONALS.
Miss Anna Nichols, of New Albany, is here visiting friends.

Miss Fannie Appar is home from a pleasant visit to Ohio friends.

P. Kindred, of Bedford, and J. D. Seiner and wife, of Lafayette, are in the city.

Theodore Hauffie, of Indianapolis, was the guest of his brother-in-law, George Binder.

Miss Julia Waters, of Olney, Ill., came here last evening to spend Christmas with friends.

Mrs. S. D. Carpenter, of Clark county, came here last evening to visit friends during the holidays.

John Boyer and wife, of Columbus, after an enjoyable visit to friends returned home last night.

C. J. Leidorf went to-day to Brownstown to receive fifteen head of fine fat cattle of Thomas Fountain.

Miss Etta Brooks is visiting Mrs. Eugenie Ireland, at Seymour, Ind.—New Albany Tribune.

C. J. Cornwall and wife, of Corning, Ind., J. F. Jones, D. F. Stout and W. J. Reedy, of Indianapolis, are in the city.

Mrs. J. S. Warman and Miss Josie Warman, of Aurora, came here this forenoon to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Sara Balow, after an enjoyable visit to her cousin, Miss Ida Price, left last night for her home at Columbus, O.

J. W. Smith, of Fish Hill Landing, N. Y., is here to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Sara Smith, and family.

Mrs. S. H. Lawler and Miss Ettie Lawler came here last evening from Indianapolis to take Christmas with relatives.

Mrs. Mahala Patrick, who resides with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Sotton, went last night to Queensville to visit relatives.

Rev. George Henninger, of the M. E. church at Crothersville, and wife came here and went last evening to spend Christmas with their parents.

Rev. E. C. Wearing and wife, of Wolcott, came here and went last night to Brownstown to spend the holidays with her parents, J. H. Matlock and wife.

Miss Goldie Wilson, who is attending school at Newport, Ky., went last night to her home at Medora to spend vacation with her father, Dr. M. V. Wilson, and family.

Harvey Dixon, Ft. Ritner, came here and went last night to Cincinnati to look after the affairs of his brother Omer, who was killed up there in a wreck some time ago.

Dolls and Doll Cabs cheap at C. R. Hoffman's. 22d3w1

FOUND DEAD.

Otto Dixon Takes an Overdose of Chloral.

Late Saturday evening Otto Dixon, an old bachelor, whose home was at Medora, was found lying dead in the road near where he lived. He was discovered by some parties driving into town who took charge of his body and sent for the coroner. An examination revealed the fact that he had taken an overdose of chloral which resulted in his death. It is not believed that he had taken the drug with suicidal intent.

Dixon was about forty-six years of age and owned considerable real estate.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Ed. McDonald went to-day to Loogoo-tee on business.

W. E. Headley went to-day to the county seat on business.

An important real estate trade may take place in the city soon.

J. M. Lewis, of near Uniontown, came up last evening on business.

Mrs. J. E. Hudson, of Hayden, spent yesterday in the city shopping.

Thomas S. Newby made a business trip this morning to Columbus.

Hon. George Mattison, of Carthage, Mo., came here to-day on business.

Turkeys in large numbers are being brought to the city for Christmas trade.

Clark B. Reynolds and Wade Baughman, of Brownstown, are in the city on business.

Mrs. Henry Kattman, of Crothersville, came here this morning to see relatives.

Mrs. Samuel Dodd, of Hayden, drove down to the city Monday afternoon on business and to shop.

Hon. O. H. Montgomery went this morning to Cincinnati on business. His wife accompanied him.

A. H. Mayes and wife, of near Milton Ky., came here last evening to spend the holidays with friends.

Many people drove here yesterday from Freetown on business and to lay in big lot of holiday goods.

William Armbruster, a prominent business man of Kurtz, was a business visitor in the city last night.

Miss Lula Bynum has stopped here on her way home to Scottsburg to spend Sunday with Miss Daisy Alves.

Preston Rider, G. W. Rider and L. W. Barton came here this morning from Crothersville on business.

Fred Lanham has gone to Columbus on special business. He goes next to Greensburg. Fred is a hustler.

John Shoemaker and family went to day to Loogoo-tee to get out a large amount of staves for Ed. McDonald.

B. C. Lett and William Spray, of Surprise, drove over to the city yesterday on business and to purchase goods.

J. H. Matlock his wife, Mrs. Frank Falk, Mrs. John B. Burrell and several others, of Brownstown, came up to the city last evening to shop and visit friends.

Choice dressed turkeys, Hancock's. Cranberries, celery, popcorn, Teckmeyer's.

All kind of Toys cheap at C. R. Hoffman's. d3w1

Save money and buy your overcoats at

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AFFILIATED.

Mrs. George S. Clark is better.

Mrs. Harry Cribb, of Brownstown, is better.

Mrs. Kuehlman, of White Creek, is very sick.

John Heckman, near Cortland, is quite sick.

Mrs. Frank Farr, of Langdon, is worse to-day.

The venerable Samuel Yeatman rested quite well last night.

Mrs. W. F. Christopher is able to sit up most of the time now.

Mrs. Bessie Trulock has almost recovered from her late sickness.

George Loerts continues to improve slowly and his full recovery is hopeful.

J. B. Wagstaff, of Columbia, Tenn., son-in-law of Clerk B. E. Long, of Brownstown, is better to-day.

Lizzie, seven months old daughter of Frank Daane, who has been very sick with lung fever, is much better.

The Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only.

Toy Printing Presses, Iron Stoves, Wagons, Cannons at C. R. Hoffman's. dwtf

Our lamps are finer than ever this year but remarkably cheap.

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We are offering special bargains in books, bibles, albums, Christmas cards, souvenirs, fancy bottles, games, buildings and A B C blocks.

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Fancy Plates,

Dinner Sets,

Fancy China Ware,

Onyx Tables,

Music Stands,

Clothes Hampers,

Fine Perfume's

Atomizers,

Etc., Etc., Etc.

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Only a few more days until Christmas. Useful presents for your family and friends

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Fans, Umbrellas, Cushions, Fancy Throws, Piano Covers, Mittens, Kid Gloves, Jersey Gloves, Corsets, Stampede Linens, Doylies, Chenille Covers.

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POLITICAL BREVITIES.

F. B. Lefebre, of Muncie, is a candidate for the chief clerkship of the lower house.

President-elect McKinley received quite an ovation from the school children yesterday at Chicago.

Senator Chas. E Shively, of Richmond has formally announced his candidacy for United States district attorney for this state.

Chairman Bynum has returned from New York where he has opened permanent headquarters for the sound money democrats and placed a representative in charge.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Co-operative Building and Loan association will be held on Monday, Jan. 4, 1897, at 8 o'clock p. m., in their office in the Opera House block, Seymour, Ind., for the purpose of electing three directors.

d22 3t P. H. WILHELM, Secy.

Masonic Election.

Jackson Lodge No. 146, F. & A. M. last night elected officers for the ensuing year.

W. M. Daniel Johnson.

S. W. Harry Coryell.

J. W., Cyrus McCrady.

T., Elias D. Brown.

Secretary, E. W. Blish.

Installation to-morrow night. The lodge is in a prosperous condition.

FOR SALE—All my household goods.

D. F. HOPKINS, 515 Indianapolis Ave.

Don't forget to inspect our Cloak Department. It's full of real bargains.



PLEASANT VALLEY

Jane Siddell is sick with a sore throat.

George Lucas is confined to his room with fever.

John Pferr made a business trip to Seymour last week.

A little girl was born to Jesse Dowden and wife last week.

Miss Burnie Robertson was the guest of Myrtle Garris over Sunday.

Miss Hettie Pferr was the guest of Miss Lillie Goss last Sunday.

John and William Bultman are selling so fine corn and hauling it to Free-town.

The revival at Pleasant Grove is still going on gloriously and will close this Tuesday.

Several from Valonia were seen driving on our streets Sunday going to Pleasant Grove to attend the great revival.

Miss Dillie Weddell and Homer Goens were visiting Charles Anderson's family Saturday and Sunday.

How to Prevent Pneumonia.

At this time of the year a cold is very easily contracted, and if left to run its course without the aid of some reliable cough medicine is liable to result in that dread disease, pneumonia. We know of no better remedy to cure a cough or cold than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it quite extensively and it has always given entire satisfaction.—Olsgah, Ind. Ter. Chief.

This is the only remedy that is known to be a certain preventive of pneumonia. Among the many thousands who have used it for colds and la grippe, we have never yet learned of a single case having resulted in pneumonia. Persons who have weak lungs or have reason to fear an attack of pneumonia, should keep the remedy at hand. The 25 and 50 cent sizes are for sale by C. W. Milhouse, druggist.

VALLONIA.

School opened up here again last Monday.

One of Henry Ulmer's children is sick with diphtheria.

Several from here attended church at Pleasant Grove Sunday.

N. Nassoy, of Seymour, was in our town Saturday on business.

Born to Harvey Gregory and wife December 20, 1896, a daughter.

Bruce Reynolds, of Goss Mill, was in our town Saturday on business.

George Lauery, of Medora, was a business caller in our town Saturday.

The teachers of Driftwood township held their regular institute here Saturday.

Curtis Nixon, of Elwood, was the guest of his friends here the latter part of last week.

One of George Snyder's children is confined to its room with diphtheria but is better.

Dan Peck and wife, of Melora, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Curt Shortridge Thursday.

Henry Geyer and wife and Peter Geyer and wife were the guests of George Turmail and wife Sunday.

Prof. L. A. Ackerman and wife, who have been visiting friends and relatives at Clearspring, returned home Sunday.

Henry Aldridge, who is teaching school in Hancock county was called to the bedside of his sick mother, Mrs. Manda Goss Tuesday.

Dr. Fred Sarver, of Bloucher, after being pleasantly entertained by his friend, Miss Addie Hunsucker, returned to his home Saturday.

William and Frank Durham who has been working at Danvers, Ill., for the past two years, has returned home to spend Christmas with their parents.

WASKOM.

Merry Christmas to all.

The revival meeting at Russell's Chapel has closed with fifty additions.

Many little hearts will be filled with joy from the visit of Old Santa Claus.

Miss Florence Empson was a guest in the family of Daniel Empson, Sunday.

William Empson and wife, were the guests of the family of O. W. Tuell, Sunday.

After hearing some friends continually praising Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, Curtis Fleck, of Anaheim, California, purchased a bottle for his own use and is now as enthusiastic over its wonderful work as anyone can be. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by C. W. Milhouse, druggist.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO

LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforementioned, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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FAIRMAN'S LIQUOR CASE

TO DISSOLVE ITS CHARTER.

Attorney General Monnett Brings Suit Against an Insurance Company.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 22.—Attorney General Monnett began suit in the supreme court yesterday to dissolve the charter of the Cleveland Mutual Livestock Insurance company of which G. U. Webster is the manager. It was stated here last night that Webster had closed up his business and started for New York enroute to South America.

Jesse G. Gould's Body Found.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 22.—The body of Jesse G. Gould, who disappeared Dec. 8, and of whom no trace could be discovered, was found yesterday in some brush near the bank of the Maumee river, with a bullet hole through the temple. It is supposed to be a case of suicide. Gould was vice president and treasurer of the Leland & Smith company, wholesale tobacconists, which failed the day after his disappearance.

Rev. Harwell Pleads Not Guilty.

RICHMOND, Ind., Dec. 22.—The preliminary hearing of the Rev. J. H. Harwell, the Methodist minister charged with issuing worthless checks, occurred late yesterday. His attorney entered a plea of not guilty and waived examination. Bond was asked in the sum of \$500 and not being forthcoming Mr. Harwell was returned to the county jail.

Newspaper Man Dead.

LAPORTE, Ind., Dec. 22.—Conrad Becher, senior member of the firm of Becher & Schleyer, publishers of the Laporte Journal, died yesterday, aged 56. At the time of his death he was a member of the city council and was serving his sixth term. He was a prominent member of the German lodge of Odd Fellows, being a trustee.

Arrested for Passing Counterfeit Money.

SANDUSKY, O., Dec. 22.—A colored man giving the name Monroe Morris, but who is supposed to be Adolph Sims, who escaped from the penitentiary at Columbus a few days ago, was captured by the police here yesterday. The prisoner has been passing counterfeit money and has confessed to the crime. He says he got the counterfeit stuff in Chicago.

Standard Factory Will Shut Down.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 22.—The Fort Wayne branch of the Standard Wheel trust will be closed down Saturday, throwing 50 men out of employment. Before the Original American wheel trust organized this plant worked 500 hands.

Reward for Count's Murderers.

REELSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 22.—Five hundred dollars reward has been offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderers of druggist William E. Counts.

New Tariff Bill.

Ways and Means Committee Will Begin Hearing Suggestions Next Monday.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—The room of the ways and means committee at the capital is being daily visited by manufacturers, woolgrowers, importers and representatives of other interests seeking for information about the forthcoming tariff bill, and calling the attention of Chairman Dingell to the changes they desire. All applicants for time at the hearings are requested to condense their statements and put them in writing if possible. With the utmost commendation the committee expects to be obliged to sit 10 hours a day during the hearings. The hearings will begin next Monday.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

The union cabinet of the New York Cab company have been on a strike in New York since Friday.

DAVID M. HILDRETH, proprietor of the West End hotel and cottages at Long Branch, died suddenly yesterday at his residence.

Robert J. Henry of Baltimore, Md., aged 8, one of the boys bitten by the St. Bernard dog Dec. 2, and who had taken the Pasteur treatment, died last night of hydrocephalus.

A man was found on the Grand Trunk tracks near Scarborough Junction, Canada, yesterday suffering from a fractured skull. From letters in his possession it appears that he is James Daley of Chicago.

In attempting to arrest a stranger who was charged with the robbery of the Bank of Caledonia, at Caledonia, N. D., on Sunday, Sheriff Gunderson shot and fatally wounded an unknown man at Rolette, Minn.

Mr. Rudolf Lehmann declares that he once found political animosity of great service to him in painting a portrait.

His sitter was a London lady who belonged to a family renowned for its stand political opinions. It was the height of summer and very hot. The lady was inclined to be stout, and under the influence of the heat she now and then fell into a nap, to the serious annoyance of the painter.

Her husband, who knew her weakness in this regard, asked Mr. Lehmann about the lady's absence if he had experienced any trouble of this kind. Mr. Lehmann could not deny it.

"Very well," said the husband, "the next time it occurs you just mention Mr. Gladstone, and you will have no further difficulty."

The artist took the hint, with immediate effect. Henceforth the lady was almost too wide awake.—Youth's Companion.

The Kaffirs.

The Kaffirs are great philosophers. If an ox should die, the owner never grieves, but remarks: "Now I must go to work for master (all white men who treat them well are called masters), and in six months he will give me a cow. It will have a calf. If it is a bull calf, in a year I'll have a pair of oxen, but should it be a heifer calf I'm all the richer, for the next year I'll have two calves instead of one."—New York Tribune.

Struck With Slingshot.

LUBERIA, Ind., Dec. 22.—George Briggner, John Wiggs and Bert West got into an altercation at a party here and a battle followed in which all were injured. West was struck with a slingshot and his recovery is not anticipated. Wiggs was arrested charged with attempt to kill.

With the Usual Result.

BRAZIL, Ind., Dec. 22.—Mrs. Will Cooper used kerosene to start a fire, with the usual results. She was burned about the head and shoulders and the attending physician expresses fears that she will lose her sight and otherwise disfigure her face.

Walked From a Window.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 22.—August Helm, a saloonkeeper, walked out of a second story window yesterday and died from his injuries. He had been suffering from brain fever, and got up during a temporary absence of his son. He was 74 years old.

Died at His Post of Duty.

HUNTINGTON, Ind., Dec. 22.—James M. Wilhelm, night watchman at the First National bank, was found dead at his post yesterday. Heart failure is thought to have been the cause of his death. He was about 60 years old and leaves a family.

Otto Dixon Dead.

MEDORA, Ind., Dec. 22.—Otto Dixon, a well known resident of this place, was found dead at the edge of town. It is supposed that he started home and died of heart failure. He was a hard drinker and leaves no relatives.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative Bromo unine Tabletts. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

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The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum Fever sores, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per bottle.

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